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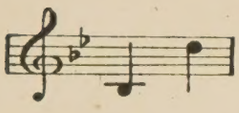

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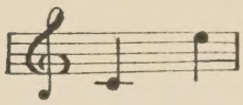

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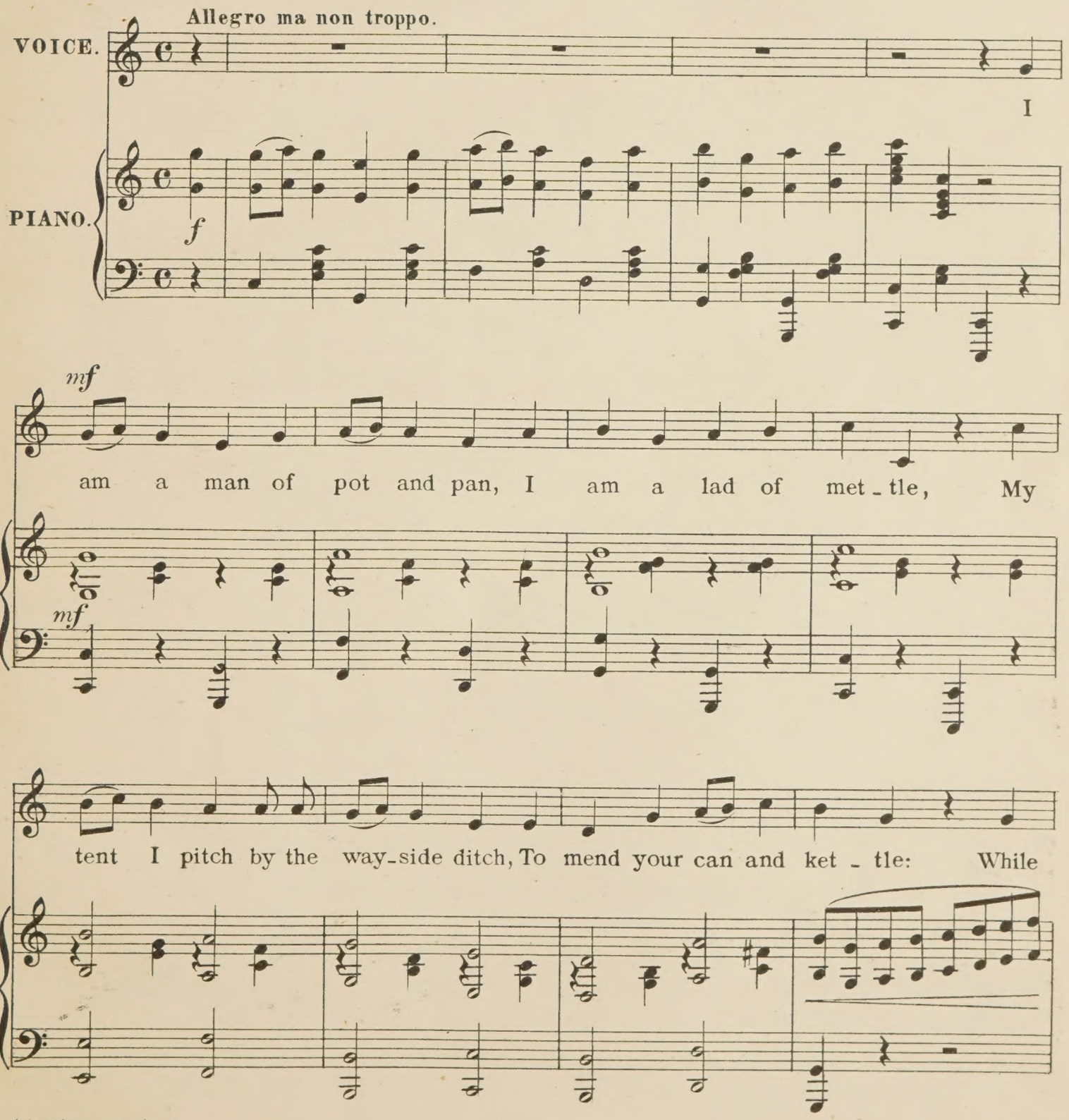
Allegro ma non troppo.
VOICE.
I
PIANO.
f
mf
am a man of pot and pan, I am a lad of met - tle, My
mf
tent I pitch by the way-side ditch, To mend your can and ket - tle: While

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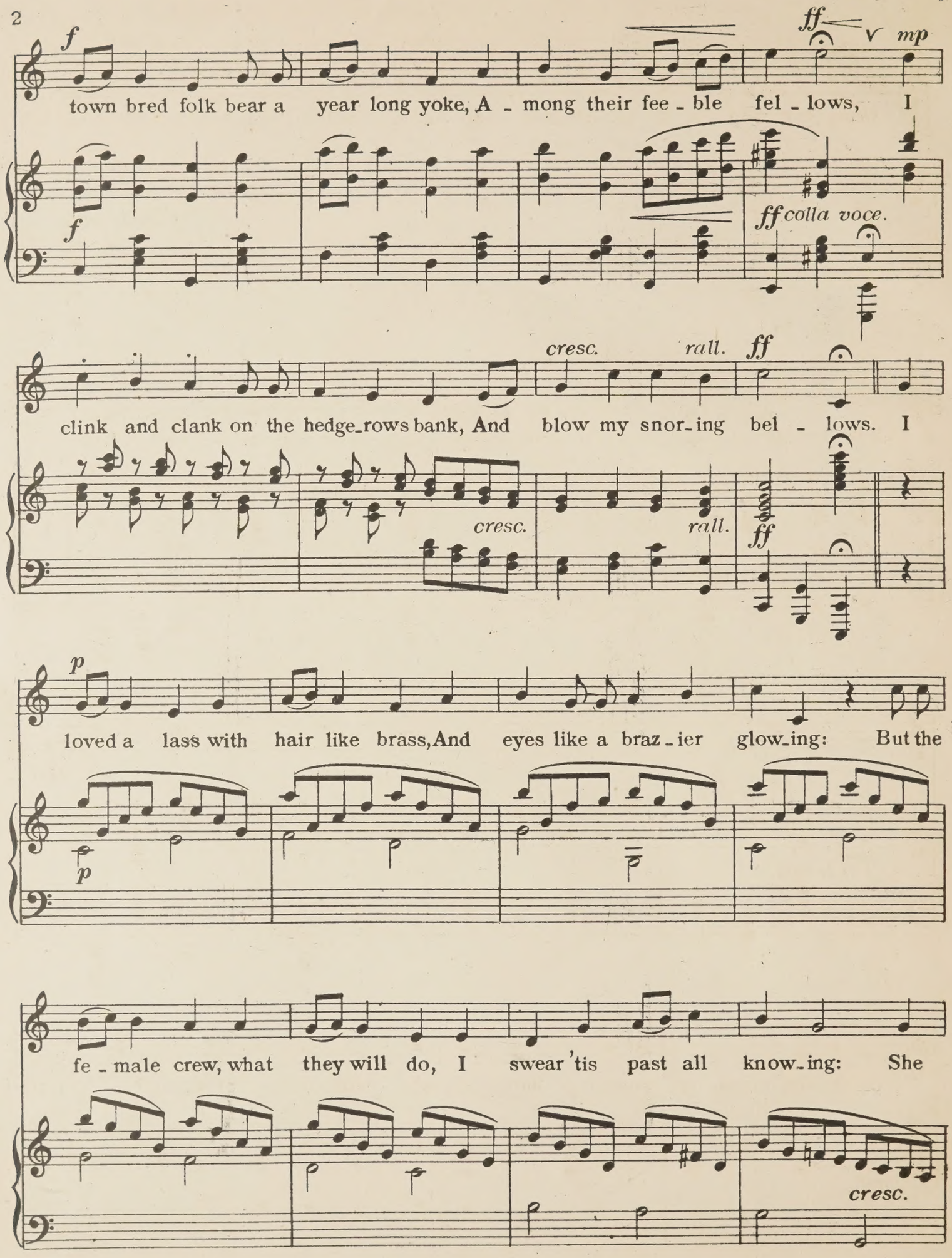
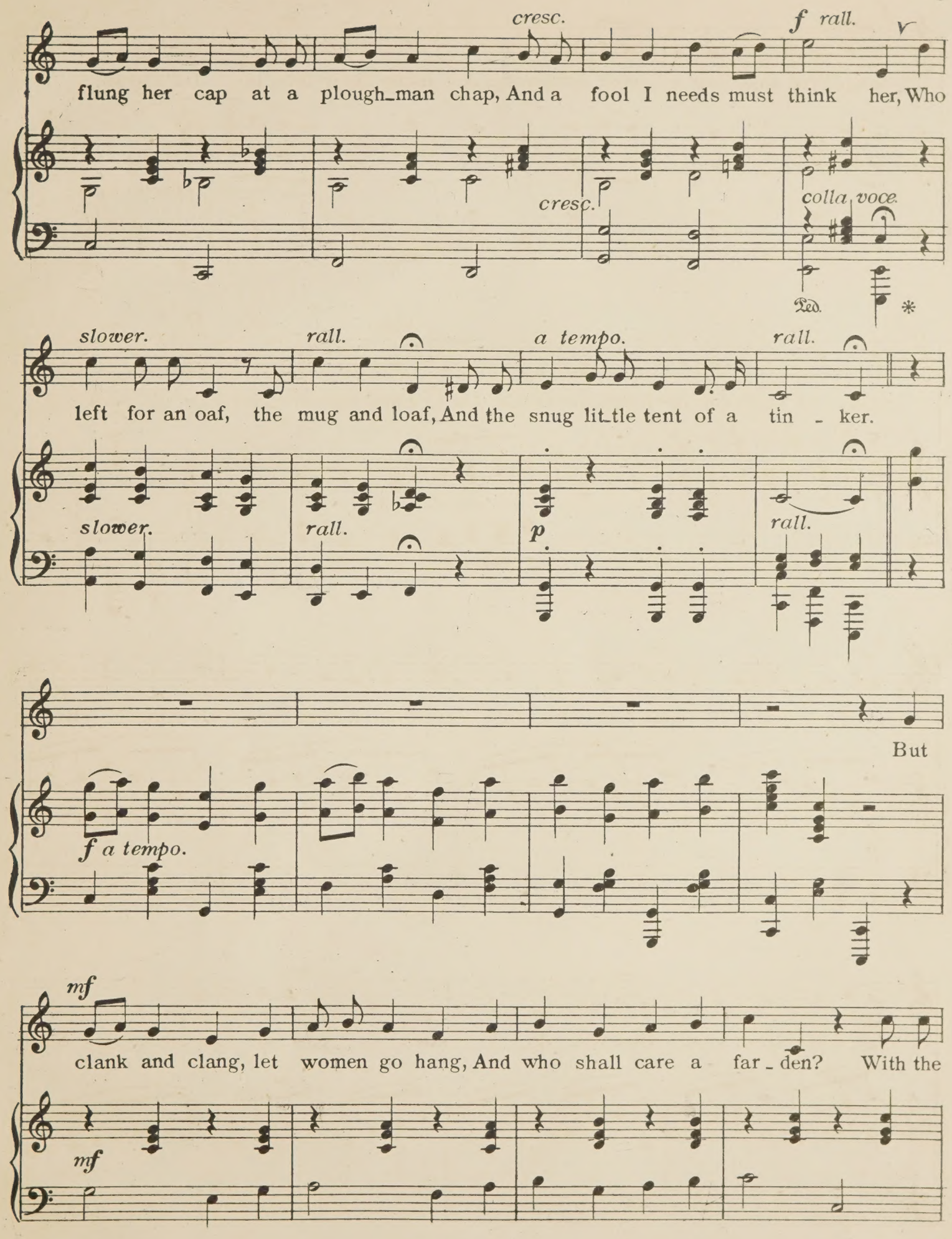
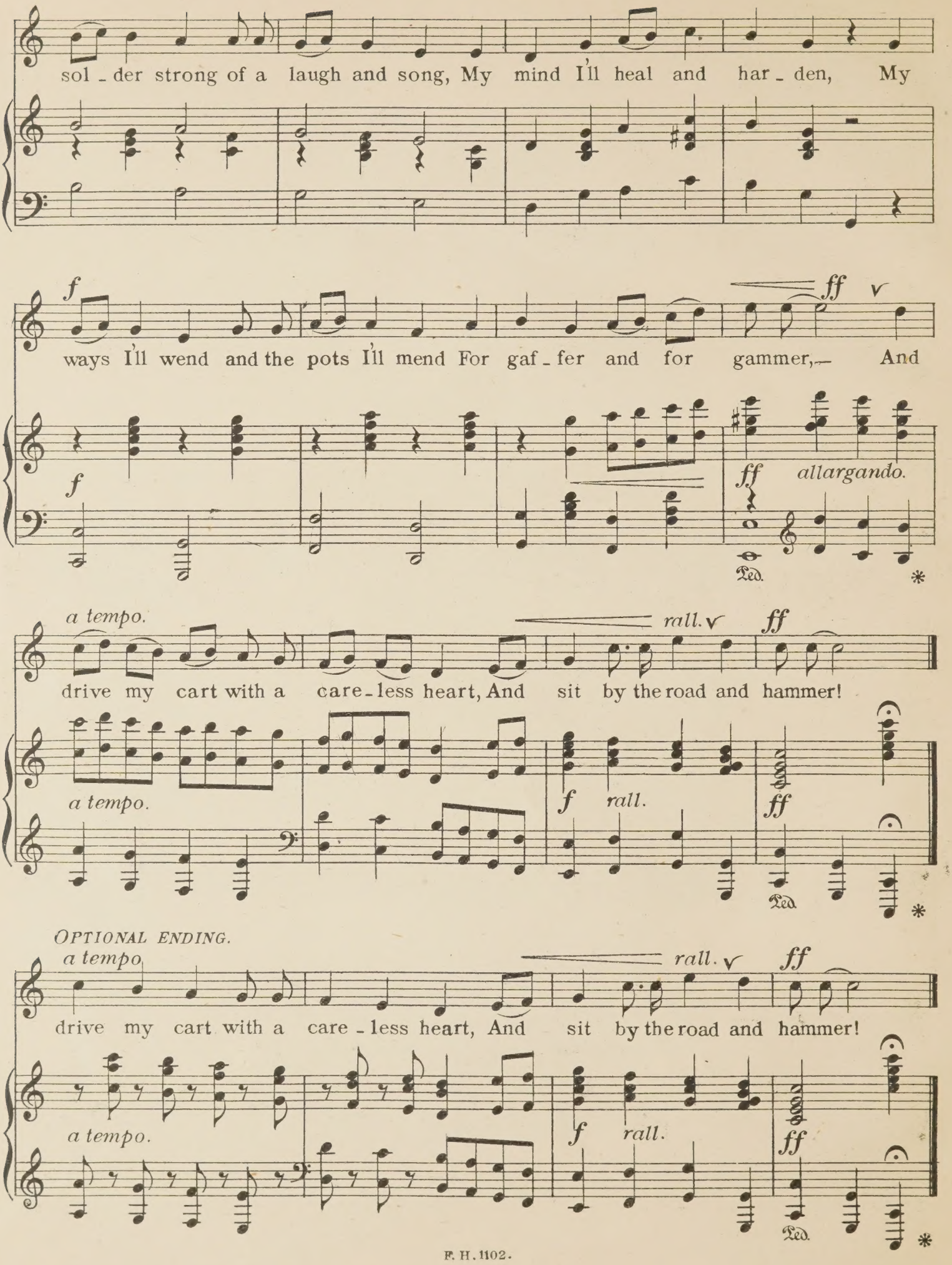

f
ff
mp
town bred folk bear a year long yoke, A - mong their fee - ble fel - lows, I
ff colla voce.
cresc.
rall.
ff
clink and clank on the hedge-rows bank, And blow my snor-ing bel - lows. I
cresc.
rall.
ff
p
loved a lass with hair like brass, And eyes like a braz - ier glow-ing: But the
p
fe - male crew, what they will do, I swear 'tis past all know-ing: She
cresc.


cresc.
f rall.
flung her cap at a plough_man chap, And a fool I needs must think her, Who
cresc.
colla voce.
Ped.
*
slower.
rall.
a tempo.
rall.
left for an oaf, the mug and loaf, And the snug lit_tle tent of a tin - ker.
slower.
rall.
p
rall.
But
f a tempo.
mf
clank and clang, let women go hang, And who shall care a far - den? With the
mf


sol - der strong of a laugh and song, My mind I'll heal and har - den, My
f
ff
ways I'll wend and the pots I'll mend For gaf - fer and for gammer,— And
f
ff allargando.
Ped.
*
a tempo.
rall.
ff
drive my cart with a care - less heart, And sit by the road and hammer!
a tempo.
f rall.
ff
Ped.
*
OPTIONAL ENDING.
a tempo.
rall.
ff
drive my cart with a care - less heart, And sit by the road and hammer!
a tempo.
f rall.
ff
Ped.
*

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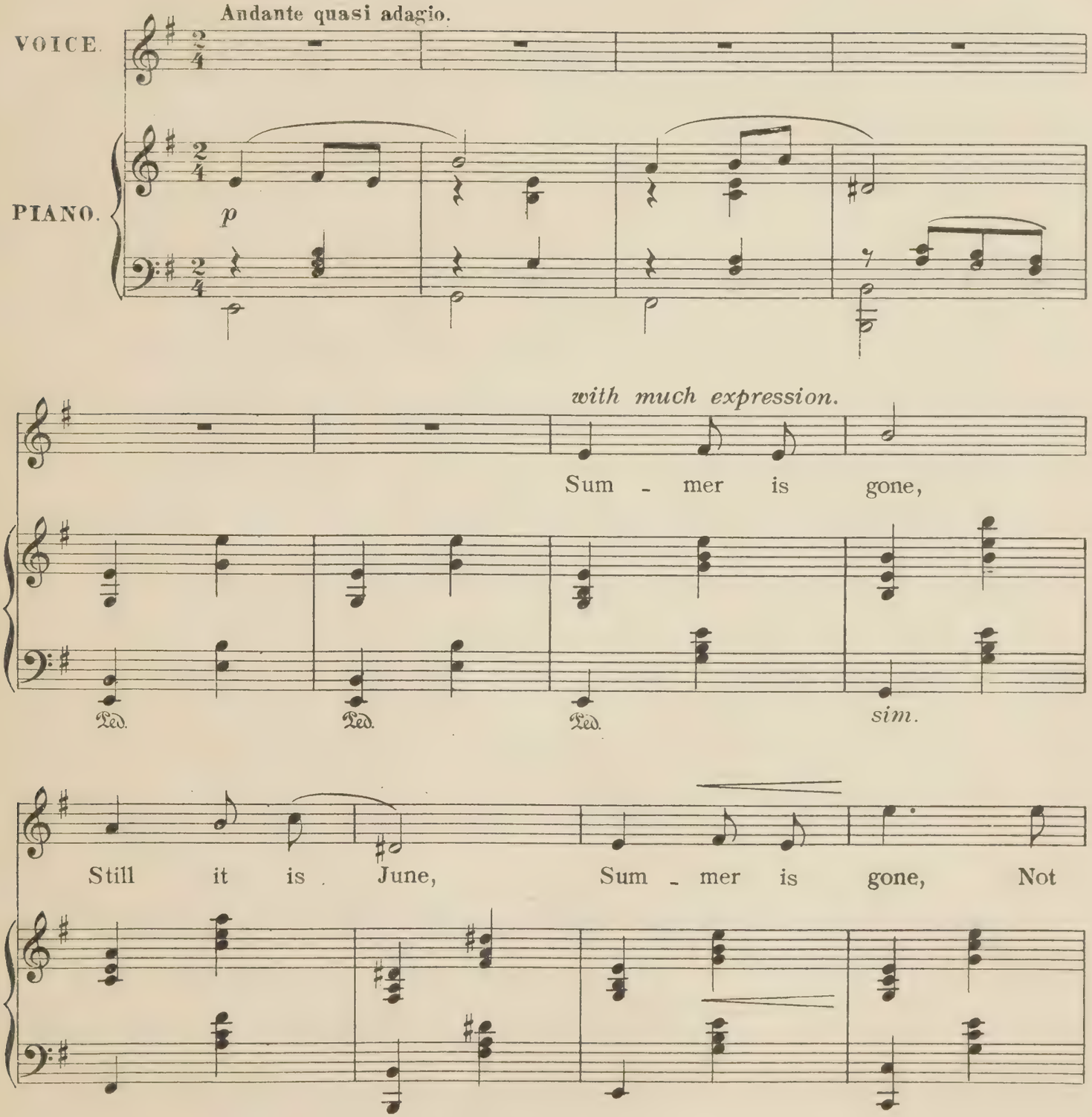
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